FOREST DEPARTMENT.

Notification dated 8th March 1907.

Applications are invited before 10th April 1907, from natives of Mysore for training in the Imperial Forest College at Dehra Dun, with a view to their subsequent employment as Forest Rangers in the State on salaries rising from Rs. 50 to Rs. 100 per mensem provided their conduct and training continue to be satisfactory.

Candidates should submit certificates of physical fitness for out-door life, age and of respectability and moral character from heads of colleges or individuals of position.

2. Selected candidates must appear in July next for the Entrance Examination of the Dehra Dun College which will be held in the office of the Conservator of Forests at Bangalore, on passing which they will be called upon to undergo a probationary practical forest training of three and a half months under the orders of the Conservator, before joining the Forest College in April 1908.

3. While under the practical training they will receive travelling allowance of Rs. 20 per mensem, and should they give satisfaction during the period, will be deputed to Dehra Dun and given—

(I) A monthly stipend which will not be more than Rs. 40 per mensem during the course of 23½ months which they have to undergo at the College;

(II) their actual travelling allowance to and from Dehra Dun.

4. The grant of this stipend will be held to constitute a lien on the candidates' services for a period of five years after leaving the College, and removal for misconduct within that time will be grounds for refund of the total stipend awarded, and for this, proper security will be demanded. On the other hand, Government will be under no obligation to employ the candidate after returning from the College, while it may discontinue the grant of stipend at any time during the College course without assigning any reason for so doing.

For further information regarding the rules, etc., of the College, applicants should address this office.

M. MUTHANNAH,
Conservator of Forests in Mysore.

SHORT NOTICE.

Attention of the public is invited to the notification No. 139, dated 5th March 1907, published on pages 298-99, Part II of the *Mysore Gazette*, dated 14th March 1907, inviting tenders for the purchase of firewood in several plantations of the Malur Range.

S. A. BAPU RAO,
District Forest Officer, Kolar Dt.

Dated 16th March 1907.

It is hereby notified for general information that the following quantities more or less of Minor Forest Produce, will be sold by public auction in the undermentioned Koti of the Mysore District, on the date specified against it:—

No.—1.
Place—Seringapatam Koti.
Date of sale—15th April 1907.
Designation of the officer conducting the sale—District Forest Officer, Mysore.
Minor Forest products—
First class Lac—Mds. 90.
Gall-nuts—Mds. 1,500.

TERMS OF SALE.—*Vide* Inspector-General's Notification dated 11th June 1887, published at pages 287—288 of the *Mysore Gazette*, dated 18th June 1887.

M. G. RAMA RAO,
Dist. Forest Officer, Mysore Dt.